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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant(s) : Robert FRIEBE, et al.
Serial No. : 09/894,824
Filed : August 29, 1997
For : CONDENSATION CROSS-LINKING POLYSILOXANE
MASSES, A PROCESS FOR PREPARING THE SAME AND
SURFACE-MODIFIED FILLERS
Art Unit : 1712
Examiner : M. Moore

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Honorable Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

In advance of prosecution, kindly amend the above-identified application as follows
and consider the following remarks:

IN THE CLAIMS

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Claim 1 (amended). Polysiloxane compositions which cross-link by condensation
and which consist essentially of
a) at least one cross-linkable polysiloxane, that contains as a reactive terminal
group at least one of the following groups